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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

TAKITA, et al.

Art Unit: 2823

Application No.: 09/046,671

Examiner: K. EATON

Filed: March 24, 1998

Attorney Dkt. No.: 108077-08003

For: SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE AND METHOD FOR FABRICATING THE SAME

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

February 21, 2001

Sir:

Applicants petition for an extension of time for three months for response to the outstanding Office Action dated September 12, 2000, from December 12, 2000, to March 12, 2001. Attached is our check in the amount of \$890.00.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fee deficiency or credit any overpayment associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 01-2300.

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Respectfully submitted,



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